

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

No. 7:18-CV-96-FL

CRYSTAL SMITH, )  
 )  
 Plaintiff, )  
 )  
 v. )  
 )  
 ANDREW SAUL, )  
 Commissioner of Social Security, )  
 )  
 Defendant. )

## ORDER

This matter is before the court on the Memorandum and Recommendation (“M&R”) of United States Magistrate Judge Kimberly A. Swank, regarding the parties’ cross motions for judgment on the pleadings. No objections to the M&R have been filed, and the time within which to make any objection has expired. This matter is ripe for ruling.

Upon careful review of the M&R and of the record generally, having found no clear error, the court hereby ADOPTS the recommendation of the magistrate judge as its own, and, for the reasons stated therein, plaintiff's motion is DENIED, defendant's motion is GRANTED, and this matter is DISMISSED. The clerk of court is directed to close the case.

SO ORDERED this the 14th day of August, 2019.

*Louise W. Flanagan*  
LOUISE W. FLANAGAN  
United States District Judge